

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authority to Institute a Rate Stabilization Plan with a Rate Increase and End of Rate Freeze Tariffs.	Application 00-11-038 (Filed November 16, 2000)
Emergency Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Adopt a Rate Stabilization Plan. (U 39 E)	Application 00-11-056 (Filed November 22, 2000)
Petition of THE UTILITY REFORM NETWORK for Modification of Resolution E-3527.	Application 00-10-028 (Filed October 17, 2000)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
REGARDING SUPPLEMENTAL DETERMINATION**

The California Department of Water Resources (DWR) has stated its intent to submit a supplemental revenue requirement determination for 2004 to this Commission. The Commission has already adopted an interim allocation of DWR's initial 2004 revenue requirement determination (D.04-01-028), and parties have submitted briefs and reply briefs on the permanent allocation of that prior revenue requirement determination.

This ruling reopens the record to allow parties to submit comments and reply comments on DWR's supplemental determination. Parties may file and serve comments addressing DWR's supplemental determination 21 days after DWR submits that determination to this Commission. Each party's comments

should address: 1) whether the supplemental determination causes the party to alter its position from the position in its previously submitted testimony and briefs; 2) whether the party believes its proposed allocation methodology should or should not be applied to the supplemental determination, and why; 3) if applicable, the reasons why a different allocation methodology should be applied to the supplemental determination; 4) whether additional testimony and/or evidentiary hearings are necessary to address the supplemental determination; and 5) any other procedural or substantive recommendations for how the Commission should address the supplemental determination.¹ Comments should focus on the effect of the supplemental determination rather than on re-litigating previously made arguments. Reply comments are due seven days after the initial comments are filed and served.

Service of the comments and reply comments may be electronic only, consistent with the previously adopted practice in this phase of this proceeding. Electronic service should be made no later than 4 p.m. on the applicable date; filing may be at anytime on the applicable date, consistent with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

IT IS RULED that:

1. The record in this proceeding is reopened to allow parties to comment on the supplemental revenue requirement determination of the California Department of Water Resources (DWR).
2. Comments are due to be filed and served 21 days after DWR submits its supplemental determination to this Commission, as described above.

¹ Parties should bear in mind that the submission of the supplemental determination triggers a 120-day clock for Commission action.

3. Reply comments are due to be filed and served seven days after service of opening comments, as described above.

4. All service of documents in this phase of this proceeding is electronic, as previously ruled.

Dated April 14, 2004, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ PETER V. ALLEN
Peter V. Allen
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail, and by electronic mail to the parties to which an electronic mail address has been provided, this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Regarding Supplemental Determination on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated April 14, 2004, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS
Elizabeth Lewis

N O T I C E

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